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FM USA-32

TC HOTEL THREE/FOXTROT

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~~SECRET~~ SAVIN 2/H3/VCK/R320-66

SPOT REPORT FOLLOW-UP TWO TO USA-32 SPOT REPORT

2/H3/VCK/R315-66, DTG 07/1215Z JUL 66.

SHEET DOWN OF F-105 BY DRV FIGHTERS

ON 07 JUL 66 BETWEEN 0751Z AND 0821Z

FACILITIES REFLECTED THE REACTION OF TWO PHUC YEN-BASED FIGHTERS TO HOSTILE ACFT RESULTING IN THE DESTRUCTION OF ONE F-105.

THE MIGS, ALREADY AIRBORNE PRIOR TO INTERCEPT OF COMMS

AT 0751Z, WERE FLYING AT ALTS RANGING BETWEEN 3,200 FT AND

4,920 FT AND PROCEEDING IN A NORTHERLY DIRECTION. APPROACHING

TO WITHIN 21.7 NM OF THE TARGET AT 0755Z, ONE OF THE MIG PILOTS

SIGHTED A SAM BEING LAUNCHED TO HIS LEFT, HOWEVER NO RESULTS

OF THE LAUNCH WERE NOTED IN TACTICAL COMMUNICATIONS.

THE HOSTILE ACFT, ACTIVE 5.2 NM NORTH OF TAM DAO (2128N 10538E)

AND FLYING AT AN ALT OF 6,560 FT, WERE SIGHTED BY THE MIG

PILOTS AT 0805Z. AT APPROXIMATELY 0810Z, THE PROBABLE FLIGHT

LEADER STATED THAT ONE OF THE HOSTILE ACFT HAD APPLIED THE

AFTER BURNER AND WAS TAKING EVASIVE ACTION. SHORTLY AFTER

IDENTIFYING THE TARGET AS TWO F-105'S AT 0811Z, THE REACTING

PILOTS WERE ORDERED TO TURN TOWARD THE AFLD BY THE GCI CONTROLLER

THE PILOTS BECAME EXTREMELY EXCITED DURING THE FOLLOWING

SEVERAL MINUTES AND SCREAMED INTO THEIR MICROPHONES AS THE

FORMATION MANEUVERED TO GAIN FAVORABLE ATTACK POSITIONS.

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EDIATELY BEFORE 0813Z, CN OF THE PILOTS WAS GIVEN

PERMISSION TO AZTAKK/STHE PROBABLE FLIGHT LEADER THEN STATED

ZHAZ HISSWUNGXON QUBTSY3 #- =5-113 -243- 6 ? 5#3 -105D

JAF AWAY=SUFQUBTE.SAZ 181315Z STHEFWIGHT LEADER MADEA FURING

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SYOT DEWF OFSTHESSTHESPOSZIE AKFZ.SMAKING VISUAW CONTACT

WUTH ASTHIROCYOSZILES AKFZ SIDEFTIFUEDSASSONESF-1,D

AZ 181'ZSTHESLEADSPILCT ORDEJEDSHISSWINGMAZESTO AZTAKKSHCWEGR

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ZHAZ THESTAJGEZ HADSFOWF AWAY/STH 1816ZSTHESREAKTING PILOTSO

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AZ PHUK YEF AZ 1821Z/D

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BFSREAKTING PIKOTSSVISUAWLYSSUGHTING ASMISSULESLAUFCH/STHESSEX

WASSPCSSUBWYSLAUNCHED A-7, = 5#3 -63 #5 =813 5#- = 5#3 .8+

EFGA3 /C

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CFSPILCTSSINVOLVECSSU+3 = 5#3 43'58,+ - = 23'3 .8+-21'SD